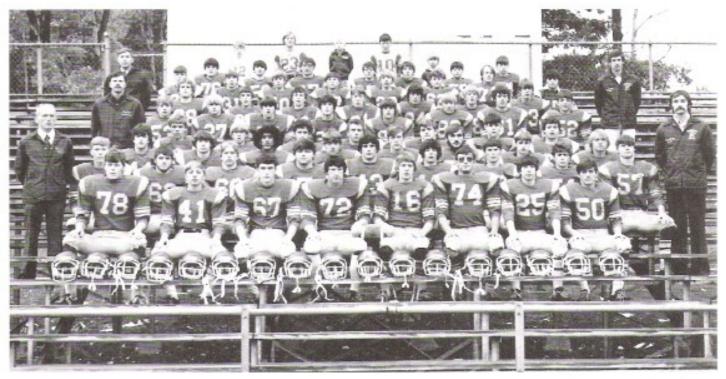
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## September 2, 1977: Bucktail 12 at Glendale 14 Vikings' Ground Game Paves Way To Win Over Bucks

By ANDY PETKAC **Progress Staff Writer** 

FLINTON - Glendale Viking fans held their breath last night when a vastly improved Bucktail team came within two points of spoiling the Viking opener at the Dr. Roy F. Baker Athletic Field.

The Vikings squeaked by the Bucks with a 14-12 score that accurately reflects the fine performance put on by both squads, who played last night in the first night game held under the lights at the Glendale field.

Glendale tailback Mark McCartney led the way on the 255 yard Viking ground attack, as he piled up 101 yards on 11 carries. One of -those totes was a dramatic 59 yard touchdown burst that brought the Glendale crowd to its feet.

Bucktail fans also had reasons to cheer, because thier outstanding junior running back Jerry Francis piled up 88 yards in 27 carries to lead the Buck rushing game, which brought the team from Renovo a total of 155 yards.

"This is one of the best Bucktail teams I've ever seen" Viking head coach John Lloyd said after the game. "They're hitters and

real stickers."

Bucktail had the chance to turn the game their way early in the first quarter when the Bucks put together a march from mid-field to the

Glendale four yard line, where Viking Frank Tiesi recovered Bucktail quarterback Jay Houser's fumble.

Tlesi's fumble recovery made up for his own miscue at mid-field that set up the Bucktail drive. Neither team was able to move the ball on their posessions prior to the first Glendale fumble.

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The fumble left Bucktail in excellent position with a first and 10 at the Glendale 13. However, on the last play of the first quarter, the Viking defenders penetrated the Bucktail offensive line and dropped Buck quarterback Houser for an eight yard loss. After four downs, the Bucktail team couldn't capatilize on the Glendale mistake, so the ball went back to the Vikings on their

From there, the Glendale team put together a 13 play, 81 yard touchdown march. Viking wingback Roger Parks chipped in a 14 yard run on this series, but the big play that sustained the drive was a 32 yard pass from Tiesi to Viking end Joseph Pyzowski.

The Glendale quarterback drilled the ball into Pyzowski's hands as a host of red shirted Bucks looked on, putting the Vikings at the Bucktail 13 yard line, Four plays later, Tiesi plowed in on a keeper from the one, and he turned over the two point conversion by hitting McCartney with a pass in the endzone. This made it 8-0 Vikings with 5:15 left in the first half.

Again Bucktail bounced back, putting together a drive that took them from their 30 to the Glendale 12, where they ran out of time and downs when the half ended.

Since Bucktail won the toss and received first, the Vikings took the ball to start the second half. Viking end Stan Rohrbach took the Buck kickoff at the Glendale 23, returning the ball 18 yards to the G-41.

On the first play from scrimmage in the second half, Viking tailback Mc-Cartney picked his way on a sweep right, sidestepping defenders as he crashed down the sideline for his 59yard touchdown run. The kick failed, leaving the score 14-0 Glendale with 11:29 left in the third quarter.

Bucktail wasn't able to move the ball on the next series, but a Glendale fumble on their next posession set up a Buck TD. The Vikings muffed a snap that turned, the ball over to Bucktail at the Glendale 36.

The Bucks marched to the Glendale 23, then they went 10 yards the other way to make it third and 20 at the Viking 33. A halfback pass from Buck Boyd Mazzulla to end James Tomko covered 27 yards and kept the drive alive for the Bucks, giving them first and goal at the Glendale 6.

Halfback Francis crashed into the end zone three plays later, giving the Bucks their first score of the night with 3:55 left in the third quarter. The kick fell short, so the score went to 14-6 Glendale.

Viking McCartney punch-ed out a 19 yard run on the first play of the next Glendale series, and team mate Richard Lender chipped in a 15 yard run, but the drive fell short at the Bucktail 31.

Two plays later, Bucktail turned the ball over to the Vikings on the Buck 34, but an encroachment penality set the Vikings back to third and 25 at the Buck 48, a defecit that they couldn't overcome.

Bucktall put together its last scoring drive of the night in the fourth quarter when it took the Glendale punt at the Buck 21. From there a series of runs and two key passes—which quarterback Houser tossed 14 yards to end Richard Poorman and 23 yards to halfback Mazzulla-ended the drive with Houser's one yard plunge into the endzone.

However, Houser's pass fell short in the conversion attempt, so with 5:47 left in the game, the score went to 14-12, Glendale.

The Vikings chewed up the remaining time on a march from their own 31 to the Bucktail 11' where the drive ended as the final gun sound-

Bucktall head coach Robert Young walked away from the game sounding confident in his revitalized team. He said the squad will have to work more on de-fense, but he said he was well pleased the way his of-fense moved the ball against the seasoned Glendale de-

"We got a couple of horses we've been running on offense, but we got hurt with the inexperience of our defensive backs," Young

said.

While the Bucks work on defense, coach Lloyd said the Vikings will be concen-trating on not fumbling the ball as much as they did in last night's game. The Vikings turned the ball over twice, one time giving Bucktail a touchdown as a result of the miscue. Glendale also recovered six of dale also recovered six of their own fumbles during the

game.
"We fumbled too much,"
Lloyd said. "This is what we

had problems with in the scrimmages, so we'll just have to go back and work harder."

He said running back Me-Cartney is a "good quality player'," and that he was pleased with his team's performance except for

Next week, the Vikings travel to Shade Central City.

GLENDALE
Ends - Kauffman, Pyzowski
Tackles - McCartney, Mulhollen
Guards - Smith, Hegarty
Center - Cherish
Backs - Lightner, McCartney, Parks,
Thesi Tiesi Subs - Cusick, Master, P. McCartney, Garman, Henry, Wills +++

Bucktall B - Francis I run (Pass Inc) G - Tiest I run (Pass Tiest to Me-Cartney! G.M. McCartney 59 run (kick fall-

B - Tiest I run (Pass inc.)

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	TEAM STATISTICS	
B		G
H	First Downs Rushing	9
3	First Downs Passing	1
(1	First Downs Penalties	0
155	Net Rushing Yards	255
11-4-0	Pass Att-comp-int	5-1-0
79	Yards Passing	32
3-35	Punts-Avg	2-32
3-35	Pennities-Yards	5.55

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INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING
Bucktall - Francis 27-88, Shearer
3-57, Fye 4-13; Hull 1-1, Houser 12minus 3 Glendale - M. McCartney
11-101, Parks 11-56, Lender, 7-36, Tiesl,
7-35; Lightner, 5-27.

Passing
Bucktait—Houser 11-4-0, 52 yards;
Mazzulla 1-1-0, 27 yards. Glendale—Tiesi 5-1-0, 32 yards.

Pass Receiving
Bucktait—Tomko 1-27, Mazzula 1-23,
Francis 2-15, Poorman 1-14, Glendale—Pyzowski 1-32.

# September 10, 1977: Glendale 6 at Shade/Central City 23 Long Trip Turns Into Lost Cause for Viking Squad

By ROD FRISCO **Progress Sports Writer** CAIRNBROOK - Glen-

dale's darkest gridiron day in recent history occurred while the sun was shining

brightly.

The Vikings, slymied by four lost fumbles, never got their offense in gear and saw their overworked defense yield three touchdowns enroute to a depressing 23-6 loss to Shade-Central City Saturday afternoon.

What kind of day was it for Glendale? The bus broke down on the way home, the game films turned out lousy and the Vikings lost a game that they could have easily

The Vikings and the Panthers played to a near standoff in the first half until the Panthers took advantage of a Viking bobble at the good field position after Frank Tiesi's punt to the G-32 from his own end zone to take an 8-0 halftime lead.

The third quarter was the real killer for Glendale. The Vikes ran just two plays (both lost fumbles) while Shade-Central cracked off 19 plays, finally wearing down a Viking defense that was doing a fine job previously.

In that disasterous third quarter, the Panthers scored two touchdowns, one a superb individual effort by

fullback George Leasure on an eight-yard run and the other a 12-yard sweep by Tom Baxter on third-andfour.

However, Glendale head coach John Lloyd is actually right when he said the Vikings executed well, except for their ballhandling. The Viking defense played an admirable game considering Shade ran 49 plays compared to Glendale's 25. On a day as hot as Saturday was, it was just too much for the Vike defense to handle consistently.

"We worked hard in practice and felt we had our ballhandling under control,' mused Viking coach Lloyd. "The kids were executing rather well except for that."

The Viking defense showed what it was made of on Shade-Central's first possession of the game. The Panthers drove from the G-37 -after a fumble recovery - to a first-and-goal situation at the G-8.

The Vikes put up a solid wall at that point, stopping Shade-Central on four straight cracks at the goal line, regaining the oval at their own two-yard line.

With the Vikes hemmed in. Tieisi punted to the G-32 where Shade-Central took over 'once more. Key first down runs by Leasure, the

game's leading ground-gainer with 68 yards on 20 carries, and Dave Knepp moved the ball to the G-1 where Knepp sneaked over from his quarterback slot with approximately seven minutes to play in the half.

Knepp skirted the right side for a pair of extra-points and Shade-Central took the 8-0 lead into the locker room with them.

Not even the most ardent Shade-Central supporter could imagine what was going to happen in the third quarter. The Glendale players, coaches and fans especially hardly believed what happened.

After receiving the kickoff, the Panthers neatly wrapped up on three straight downs by the Viking defense and forced Leasure to punt to the G-32 where it rolled dead.

An attempted bootleg backfired as the ball dropped to the turf after a muffed fake when it appeared as though Tiesi would have had room to run on the left side. Shade's George Thomas jumped on it at the G-32.

The Panthers slowly punched their way goalward, moving to a first-and-goal situation at the G-3. Two plays netted one yard and the next play was a six-yard loss to the eight when a Viking back caused a fumble

that Leasure recovered.

But Leasure swept around left end on fourth down, received a nice block from George Zborvancic, made a sharp cut and was met at the one by a Glendale defender. A last-ditch Leasure lunge put the nose of the ball inches over the white stripe.

It was that play, followed by a fumble on Glendale's possession that lurned the

tables for good.

Knepp passed to Tim Smith to the Panthers a 16-0 lead with four-and-a-half minutes to play in the third quarter and the homestanding squad regained the ball almost immediately as Glendale fumbled it away on the first offensive play after the kickoff.

It took the Panthers seven plays to travel 32 yards for the touchdown as Tom Baxter, playing back-up quarterback, optioned around the right side for a 12-yard touchdown run with about 10 seconds remaining in the quarter. Sam Lanzic's extrapoint kick was good to make it 23-0.

Glendale finally put together its first drive of the game at the outset of the final stanza, moving from its own 40 to the SCC-20 in 11 plays before yielding the ball on downs.

Another strong effort by the exhausted Vike defense forced a punt to the G-42 that Stan Rohrbach returned to the S-43. The Vikes finally scored on a four-play 43-yard drive, capped by Mark Mc-Cartney's 27-yard jaunt

The touchdown came with about two minutes left in the game and the Vikings hopes for a miracle comeback were shorted out when a Shade-Central defensive back made fine play to break the PAT pass.

"I can't get down on the defense," Lloyd noted after the scuffle. "They played tough in our own territory.

"We're gonna lick this thing," Lloyd emphasized about Glendale's recent woes. "We have a much better football team than we showed Saturday. We have good football players. I've never had football players that gave up and I have faith in this bunch of kids."

Granted Glendale reached a low point Saturday with a 17-point loss, the most a Viking team has lost by since Sept. 28, 1968 when they were blasted by Blacklick Valley 40-6. That's nine

years.

But Glendale has never been the type of team that

has stayed down, and if that statement holds true, the Glendale football of the past eight years may soon re-

appear in 1977.

The Vikings will attempt to get back on the right track this Friday evening when they host the Claysburg-Kimmel Bulldogs at Flinton in their third game of the season.

GLENDALE Ends—Henry, Cusick Tackles—P. McCartney, Troxell Guards—Smith, Hegarty Center-Cherish Backs-Tiesl, Lender, M. McCariney,

Score By Quarters 0 0 0 8-- 6 0 8 15 0 Glendale Shade-Central 0 8 15 0 SC—Knepp 1 run (Knepp run) SC—Leasure 8 run (Smith pass from

Leasure)
SC—Baxter 12 run (Lanzie kiek)
G—M. McCartney 27 run (Pass fail-

ed)	4.4.4	
G	TEAM STATISTICS	SCA
4	First Down Rushing	
0	First Downs Passing	8,1
90	Ney Yards Rushing	167
1-0-0	Passes Att-Com-Int	4-2-0
0	Yards Passing	16.4
3-29.3	Punts-Average	3-20.3
1-5	Penalties Yards	3-29.3 C
7-4	Fumbles-Lost	3.1
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INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS Rushing
Glendale—M. McCartney 9-53, 2
Lender 3-15, Tiesi 8-15, Parks 5-7, 2
Shade-Central—Lensure 20-68, Knepp 6
8-46, Flegal 12-33, Baxter 2-12, Sheema

1-7, Wilson 1-2, Jones 1-minus 1.

Passing
Glendale—Tiesi 1-0-0, 0 yards.
Shade-Central—Knepp 2-1-0, 10; Bax-9

Pass Receiving
Shade-Central—Baxter 1-10, Smith

## September 16, 1977: Claysburg 14 at Glendale 20

# Solid Defense Sparks Vikes To Second Victory

By JERRY STEWART **Progress Sports Writer** 

FLINTON - The rest of the Glendale opponents better beware because it looks as though the Vikings may have regained the touch that has brought them so many victories over the past few years.

Last night the Vikes played superb defense and adequate offense to beat Claysburg-Kimmel 20-14 in a drizzle at Dr. Roy F. Baker Football

As Glendale coach John

Lloyd put it, "We're coming along.

Although the Vikes haven't been overpowering anybody this season they've still got a 2-1 record, so when things begin to fall into place Glendale could again become an impressive football club.

"The boys were really fired

up out there tonight," Lloyd stated while heading for the celebration in the lockerroom. "We've been a little complacent but that seems to be changing."

"We were also much better reading stunts much better

and really firing off the ball."
On defense the Vikes were in top form as they forced five fumbles, recovering them all. and limited the Bulldogs to just 76 yards total offense, only 21 on the ground.

Offensively Glendale chewed up 155 yards on the ground 81 by the power-running Mark McCartney and 79 more by the slashing Roger Parks. and luckily kept its errors to a minimum.

The two turnovers Glendale did commit cost the Vikes Although they lost only one

fumble it set up a Clay-Kimmel touchdown and an interception was run all the way back for the Bulldogs other six-pointer.

Several bad punts, one which just made it back to the line of scrimmage and the other which traveled just 10 yards with the help of a bounce, put the Vikings in a hole early in the game, but Glendale's defensive unit held the 'Dogs off.

Claysburg had a secondand-nine on the G-12 and lost the ball via a fumble but the Vikes couldn't sustain a drive and they never crossed the 50 until they jumped on another loose ball on the C-K 33.

A late-hit penalty put Glendale within striking distance and some hard-nosed running by McCartney put the Blueand-Gold into the end zone at the 5:14 mark of the second

McCartney's first of two TD's came from two yards out but Glendale had to settle for six as Parks fumbled a pitchout on the try for two.

Another fumble recovery. this one by Joe Pyzowski, set up yet another scoring drive and a 16-yard pass from Frank Tiesi to Chuck Cusick and a 13-yard scoot by Parks didn't hurt any, either.

McCartney put the points on the board with a one-yard dive over the top and his run around end for the PAT upped the Glendale lead to 14-0 with just 40 seconds remaining in the half.

Early in the third quarter Lloyd called for a halfback offensively," the long-time option pass and Rich Lender coach pointed out. "We're got the nod. But Lender's aerial was off target and Don Grabill stepped in for the interception and outran the

> Glendale offense for a 48-yard return and a touchdown.

The Bulldogs put the pressure on with a two-point conversion on a pass from Doak Hoenstine to Gary Mussleman as Glendale's lead was cut to 14-8 with 9:29 left in the round.

Glendale, which went in spurts on offense, got back onto the board again after Parks broke off a 43-yard scamper on a double reverse, putting the Vikes on the five.

Three plays later Tiesi plunged over from the one and with 8:37 to go in the game Glendale was ahead 20-8. The PAT was no good as McCartney was thrown for a

Tiesi fumbled later in the contest and two long passes and a two-yard dive by Rex Mussleman had C-K back within a touchdown.

Hoenstine's pass to Rex Tremmel was dropped but there were still 3:39 minutes left and the Bulldogs were behind just 20-14.

Claysburg got one last shot when they took over with 58 seconds remaining on the Bulldog 45, but on the very first play Terry Wills and Terry Peacock pounced on a Hoenstine fumble to ice the

Glendale will travel to Penns Valley next Friday.

### GLENDALE Ends Henry, Kauffman

Tackles -- Mulhollen, P. McCartney Guards --Hegardy Smith Center---Cherish Backs --Tiesi, Parks, M. McCartney,

Lender Subs - Cusick, Gray, Heverly, LaBorde, Peacock, Pyzowski, Robrbach, Shomo, Cree, Delerme, Wills, Troxell

Clay-Kimmel 0 0 8 6-14 0 14 0 6-20 Glendale 0 14 0 6—20 G - McCartney 2 run (run (alled) G - McCartney 1 run (McCartney

run)
C-K Grabill 48 Interception return
(G. Mussleman pass from Hoensline)
G Tiesl 1 phuige (run failed)
C-K R. Mussleman 2 run (pass fail-

C-K	First Downs Rushing	
3	First Downs Passing	7
1	First Downs Penalties	- 1
21	Net Yards Rushing	155
8-4-0	Passes Att-Comp Int	4.2.1
55	Yards Passing	21
3-30.3	Punts Avg	4 18 8
2-30	Penalties-Yards	2.21
55	Fumbles Last	5.1

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
Rushing
Clay-Kimmel R Mussleman U-30,
Dively 6-7, Walter 2-3, Tekes 1-0,
Hoenstine 6 minus 27 Glendale Me
Cariney 25-81, Parks 11-79, Lender B-10,
Tlesisto minus 23
Passing
Clay-Kimmel Hoenstine 0-1-0, 5-5
yards, Glendale Tiesi 3-2-0, 21, Lender 10-1, 0

Pass Receiving
Clay Kimmel G Mussleman 2.5,
Walter 2.20, Glendale Cusick 1.16,
Henry 1.5

# September 23, 1977: Glendale 0 at Penns Valley 0

# Penalties Slow Offense . . .

# ms Deadlock

By JERRY STEWART

Progress Sports Writer SPRING MILLS — Penns Valley had a touchdown called back, Glendale missed a last-ditch field goal and everything else was a dead heat as the Vikings and Rams battled to a scoreless tie in last night's scholastic grid ac-

It was just that kind of night as neither team could get the big play that would put points on the scoreboard.

Penns Valley had a couple of chances but big defensive plays by Rich Lender and Clark Cree stymled those.

meanwhile, Glendale, never got inside the Rams' 30 until the Vikes made a lastminute drive behind the passing of sub quarterback Jamie Rydbom.

But just as Rydbom was getting the Viking offense in gear time began to run down and with five seconds left in the game Glendale mentor John Lloyd elected to go for a field goal.

Frank Tiesi's kick from the 28 was straight but the boot fell into the end zone about 10 yards short of the crossbar and Glendale had to settle for its second scoreless tie in as many seasons.

Last year Glendale fought to a 0-0 standoff with Berlin-Brothers Valley in

rainstorm.

Glendale, which has been having its offensive problems all season long, kept making those nagging little mistakes that slow down drives and make a coach want to pull his hair out.

"We moved the ball a times," Lloyd pointed ou without much expression as

he was still trying to think back to any spots where his-Vikes may have been able to get some points, "But everytime we started moving we'd make a mistake that would hurt us."

The mistakes weren't turnovers, either, as the Vikes fumbled the ball away just once, but those painful little five-yard penalties that can take the starch out of an offense.

Glendale was whistled for no less than eight minor violations on offense, three of them for delay of game. Those kind of things can really stymie an offense, and last night they did for the Vikes.

"We sure can't fault our defense," Lloyd pointed out. "Penns Valley had us backed up against a wall a couple of times but our defense didn't crack. They played a good game under a lot of pressure."

The stats couldn't have been much more indicative of how even the game really

Glendale was outrushed 117 yards-to-110 yards but Tiesi Rydbom outpassed Penns Valley's John Mc-Mullen 56-44. Both teams lost one fumble and there was only one interception, that by Tiesi. Both punters got a lot of work, Tlesi kicking seven times for a 31.3 yard average and Van Winter six times for an average of 32.3 yards.

McMullen was the game's; top rusher with 59 yards on just five carries, the big one being a 50-yard keeper that Valley's Penns "touchdown". Ram standout Al Pifer had just 24 yards on

14 carries as he sat out most of the second half with an ankle injury.

Mark McCartney topped the Viking runners with 47 yards on 14 totes.

The first quarter was a game of punts until McCartney broke off a good run for 15 yards, only to fumble on the PV-15 on the last play of the stanza.

Several series later the threatened Rams McMullen outraced most of the Glendale defense on a keeper around the right end. He outran everyone for 50 yards before Terry Wills pulled him down from behind on the two.

An unsportsmanlike conduct penalty moved the ball half-the-distance, which was just a yard, and McMullen plunged into the end zone with about 5:30 to go until the intermission.

But the refs detected a little too much movement in the Rarns' line and the penalty set Penns Valley back on the six. Pifer fumbled a pitchout on the next play and Cree was there to pounce on the loose pigskin to save the Vikes' necks.

Penns Valley threatened in the second period when a shanked Tiesi punt bounced out to the Glendale 30. The Rams got as close as the one but Lender made a good play in the secondary to stop a fourth down pass headed for Mike Williams in the end zone.

Glendale mounted several time-consuming but fruitless drives in the second half, never crossing the PV-40 in fact, until late in the game when the Vikes made one last effort.

Ties! snagged McMullen's pass at the Viking 40 and with 1:35 left in the contest Glendale had one more shot.

Rydbom was in for an injured Tiesi and he completed two-of-four passes for 36 yards and another 15 yards for a pass interference call moved the Vikings to the PV-21 with five seconds to go.

The field goal try by Tiesi was all Lloyd could hope for but the kick fell short and both teams went off the field empty handed.

Glendale, now 2-1-1, will host Juniata Valley next Friday while the Rams, who are 1-2-1, host West Branch the same night.

GLENDALE

Ends—Henry, Koulfman Tackles—P. McCartney, Troxell Guards—Garman, Smith Center—Cherish Backs—Tiesi, M. McCartney, Parks, London

Backs—Tiesi, ...
Lender
Suhs—Wills, Rydbom, Delerme, Leye,
Queen, Kruise, Peacock, Cree,
Hegarty, LaBorde, Pyzawski, Custek,
Muster, Shomo.

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G	TEAM STATISTICS		PV
4 2	First Downs Rushing		3
2	First Downs Passing		2
1	First Downs Penalties		1
110	Net Rushing Yards		117
11-5-0	Passes Att-Comp-Int		7-2-1
56	Yards Passing		44
7-31.3	Punts-Average	24	6-32.3
11-67	Penalties-Yurds		3-25
3.1	Fumbles Lost		2-1
	111		

Pass Receiving
Glendale—Henry 2-43, Leader 1-6,
McCartney 1-4, Parks 1-3, Penns
Valley—Buchanan 1-27, McFadden

## September 30, 1977: Juniata Valley 9 at Glendale 18

# Jekyll-Hyde Glendale Overtakes Valley, 18-9

## By TOM GIBB Staff Writer

and Hyde on the football field.

A Glendale High School team which looked hard-pressed to con- and cleven situation at their own tain the Juniata Valley High School offense last night did a sudden turnaround, overcame a 9-0 deficit and went on to an 18-9 romp over the Hornets.

Senior quarterback Jamie Rydbom got his first real opportunity as signal caller since being injured in an auto accident last Summer, and the combination of | the score. Rydbom and halfback Mark Mc-Cartney was too hot for the Juniata Valley defense to handle.

The Vikings, who've steadily used McCartney as the mainstay of the backfield, continued to go to the senior, and McCartney responded by picking up 137 yards.

Glendale's defense looked as sharp as it has all season-something which became painfully evident to the Hornets in the second half. With the pressure turned all the way up, the Juniata Valley offense only had the chance to run eight plays in the second-half, and they ran those eight for a net loss of 29 yards.

But the Vikings didn't start off the game looking like the team Glendale coach John Lloyd de-scribed as "self confident and believing in ourselves.

In the opening minutes of last night's contest, both sides looked

a little sloppy.

Midway through the opening stanza, the Hornets worked their way inside the Glendale 10 but backed up when two miscues totaled a loss of 9 yards.

The Hornets had to settle for a 12-yard field goal by junior Paul

In the next three plays after the kickoff. Glendale fumbled the ball away, recovered a Juniata Valley fumble and then fumbled the ball to the Hornets again.

The Hornets took over at the Viking 32 and worked their way within spitting distance of the goal line, picking up a first down at the Glendale 2-yard line.

But the Hornet offense couldn't FLINTON-It looked like Jekyll the ball back to Glendale on a second down at the goal line.

Three plays later, on a third 7-yard line, the Viking quarter-back Frank Tiesi let go of the ball and the liornets found themselves with another shot at a 9-0 lead.

On the next play, quarterback Steve Borst, a junior, handed off to sophomore halfback Bill Boyd who went around the left side for

Juniata Valley tried for the two-point conversion, but the Borst-Boyd combination didn't work this time.

When the Vikings took posses-sion, coach Lloyd made the decision to go with Jamie Ryd m.

### Rydborn Returns

"Rydbom is an experienced quarterback, but we kept thinking about the accident. We weren't really sure if some of our kids were hitting him as hard as he might be hit," Lloyd said after the game.

The senior started off by getting thrown for a 6-yard loss, but came back with a pair of hand-offs to Mark McCartney for 14 yards. The Vikings came up two yards short and punted, but when they got the ball back on a Juniata fumble two plays later, Rydbom and McCartney started burning a path downfield.

On a six-play march through Juniata Valley territory down to the Hornet two-yard line, McCartney carried the ball five times for 25 vards.

From the two, though, Rydbom handed off to Richard Lender who went up the middle for the touchdown.

On the conversion attempt, Rydbom tried McCartney again, but the senior drew up short of the score.

Juniata Valley went to the locker room carrying a 9-6 edge, but the Glendale offense had already found the key which turned out the lights on the Hornets in the second half.

The Vikings took the kickoff at their own 16-yard line as the opening to a 16-play drive for the go-ahead touchdown. hung onto the ball for five first downs during the drive, running up almost seven minutes in possession time.

Rydbom rotated his handoffs among his backs, consistently picking up short yardage and solid blocking, with halfback Roger Parks providing a wall for McCartney to run with,

The Vikings inched their way down to the Hornet 1-yard line where Rydbom ran in for the touchdown.

On the try for the two-point conversion, Rydbom was sacked, but the Vikings had taken the lead for the first time during the evening.

When Juniata Valley finally got hold of the ball, they were backed into a fourth and twelve situation at their own 43, forcing them

The Vikings took the ball at their own 20, and started the offensive machine rumbling downfield again.

The drive lasted into the fourth quarter as the Vikings worked their way down to the Hornet 15yard line, taking 13 plays to ham-mer at the Juniata Valley line for short yardage.

From the 22-yard line, Parks picked up two yards and broke loose on a second effort for another five yards, bringing Glendale to the Hornet 15-yard line.

From there, Lender carried for 10 yards and the Viking's sixth first down of the drive, setting up the Vikings at the Juniata Valley

On the give to McCartney, the senior tacked up another five yards for the score.

Frank Tiesi came back to try the extra point for the Vikings, but he was forced to thrown un-der pressure. The Vikings didn't pick up the point, but they had sealed the 18-9 win.

The kickoff marked the last time the ball would be turned over to the Juniata Valley offense which ran up a net loss of 26 yards in four downs before being forced to punt.

### Savor Victory

For the next four minutes, the 2 Vikings held onto the ball, savoring the victory they earlier looked like they wouldn't get.

The game boosts the Glendale record to 3-1-1, and marks the fourth straight time they've beaten Juniata Valley.

For the Hornets, the loss drop-

ped their tailspin to 0-5. Coach Lloyd said the Vikings rolled up the win because they were "mentally ready."

In the first quarter, he said, the Glendale team was "mentally

"But this game is going to change that," he contended. "The kids know now they can perform under pressure."

"Anytime you can come from behind," he added, "you have some pretty good kids." While the Glendale rout pleased

the local fans, the special half-time activities last night turned out to be something less than a rousing success.

Organizers of the halftime crowning of the high school crowning of the high school homecoming queen decided to add a little extra touch of class to the ceremonies by arranging for a parachutist to drop from an airplane onto the field with the queen's crown.

It may have been a stunt which twoold have made P. T. Barnum S happy, but the prevailing winds ! apourently re'used to cooperate.

While organizers held up the halftime festivities and gazed skyward for their messenger from the heavens, word came that the jumper, former Green paratropper Terry Kaolin of Coalcort, had landed safe-Iv - crown and all - in the woods about 14 mile away. You can't win 'em all.

## Score by Quarters:

Glendule ...... 8 6 6 6-18 Juniata Valley ... 3 6 0 0-9

### Scoring Sequence:

Juniata Valley -- Paul Wright (12-yard field goal)

Juniata Valley - Boyd 7-yard run (run failed)

McCartney 2-yard Glendale run (run failed)

Glendale - Rydbom 1 run (conversion failed)

McCartney 5 run Glendale -(extra point failed)

## Juniata Valley

The second secon	menny (r )
16 First downs 224 Yards gained rushing	88
22 . Yards lost runshing .	45
202 Net yards rushing	431
8-8 Passes	2-3
55 Net yards passing	29
257 Total net yards	98
0 Interceptions	0
4 Fumbles lost	3
3-35 Panalties	2-20
1-35 Punts	1-35

## Glendale-Juniata Valley

Rushing — Glendale—McCart-ney 28-137, Lender 7-52, Parks 8is, Garman 1-6, Rydbom 5-1, Tie-si 3-8, Juniatz Valley — Smith 7-18, Clouse, Bill 1-15, Scott 5-15, Boyd, 6-11, Tim McCrum 1-7, Close, Rith, 2-3, Borst 4-26,

Passing — Glendale—Rydbom 7-7-0-49, Tiesi 1-1-0-29, Juniata Valley — Borst 2-3-0-29.

Receiving — Glendale—Lender 2-20. Gray 2-12, Kauffman 2-12, McCartney 3-11. Juniata Valley — Wright 1-25, Close 1-4.

## October 7, 1977: Berlin 7 at Glendale 7

# Vikings, Mounties Duel To Second Straight Tie

By JERRY STEWART **Progress Sports Writer** 

FLINTON - For the second time in as many meetings the Glendale Vikings and Berlin-Brothers Valley came away from their head-to-head clash without determining a

Last year the Vikes journeyed to Berlin and fought the Mountaineers to a scoreless standoff in a driving rain-

Last night Glendale and the Mounties deadlocked at 7-7 on Dr. Roy F. Baker Field.

The Vikings weren't without their chances, however, as three last-quarter field goal attempts failed to con-

One shot, however, came very, very close to being three points as Terry Peacock's kick from 27 yards out hit the left upright and fell into the end zone for nothing.

John Lloyd, Glendale's long time coach who has seen his Vikes play in two tie ballgames this season, just shook his head after the incredible string of bad luck that plagued his Blue-and-Gold squad in the final quarter.

The Vikes controlled the ball for all but five plays in the final eight-and-half minutes of the game and still couldn't get any points on the board.

"It was a tough one to lose," Lloyd sighed after the Vikes dropped to 3-1-2. "We made one mistake and it cost us. Our only fumble set up Berlin's touchdown.

The way Glendale's offense moved the ball on the first

drive of the game, it looked like the Vikings were in for a big night.

Jose Delerme returned the opening kickoff 20 yards to the Viking 39 and 13 plays later Glendale had a 7-0 lead.

Jaymie Rydbom, making his first start as varsity quarterback, completed two passes for 16 yards and Mark McCartney, who led all runners with 93 yards in the game, bulled his way for 36 yards on seven carries to fuel the march.

Capping off the drive at the 6:49 mark was Rydbom on a 3-yard plunge behind center Denny Cherish and guards Rick Smith and Dan Garman. Peacock tacked on the PAT to give Glendale an early 7-0 lead.

After a couple of punts, a Viking fumble late in the quarter was recovered by Berlin's Rob Cugini on the Glendale 34.

Cugini, who roams between quarterback and halfback for the Mounties, broke off a 23yard run to the Glendale 9 and three plays later the Berlin senior tossed an 8-yard touchdown pass out of the shotgun formation to Larry Hankinson. Tim Landis kicked the PAT with 11:10 to play in the first half.

Those two early scoring drives amounted to all the scoring as the Viking defense yielded little more and the Glendale offense failed to come up with the big play

Berlin never penetrated the Glendale 30 the remainder of the game as three Mountie possessions were stopped by interceptions, two by Frank Tiesi and one by Delerme, and another was ended by Perry McCartney's fumble recovery.

The Vikes came up 196 yards total offense, including Rydbom's 10-for-21 night for 57 yards, but they too were held outside the opposition's 30 until late in the game.

Glendale's first field goal effort was set up by Delerme's kamikazee punt return of 10 yards that put the Vikes just across the 50.

Tough-yardage running by fullback Rich Lender sparked the Vikings to a first-and-ten 4-yard loss by Cugini and Lloyd called timeout.

Blake Lightner, who's seen little action this season due to injuries, was called on to attempt a 35-yard field goal but his boot out of Lender's hands sailed wide to the left with 5:24 to go in the game.

Tiesl got Glendale another chance as he picked off a Cugini aerial and stepped out of bounds on the Berlin 40. Strong running by McCartney again moved the Vikes inside the 20 but once more the Mountle defense stiffened.

Lloyd was faced with a fourth-and-six at the 10 this time and again he sent in the field goal team, with Peacock' lining up to do the honors.

Peacock's boot appeared to

be on target but it hit the upright and although long enough, 27 yards, it went for nothing.

Tiesi tried to give the Vikes another shot as he intercepted a pass and ran back 18 yards to the Berlin 33, but once more Glendale's offense was stopped,

The Vikes got as close as the 19 behind Rydbom's aerials but one more time Lloyd had to call on his kicking team, this time Lender placing the ball on the 25 for Peacock.

Peacock's 35-yard effort fell way short and time ran out on both teams on the very next play.

Next week the Vikes will try to get back into the winning column at West Branch in a Progress Bowl game.

GLENDALE

Ends Henry, Kauffman Tackles- LaBorde, P. McCortney Guards - Garman, Smith

Center - Cherish Backs - Rydbom, M. McCartney,

Delerme, Lender
Subs - Lightner, Leyo, Master,
Peacock, Pyzowsk, Queen, Shomo,
Dick, Cree, Kiriberly, Kruise,
Mulhollen, Noel, Titsl, Wills.

G -- Hydborn 3 run (Ivacock kick) B -- Hankinson 8 pass from Cugini (Landis kick)

В	TEAM STATISTICS	G
3		
.5	First Downs Rushing	10
1	First Downs Passing	2
B	First Downs Penalties	0
87	Yards Rushing	139
12-6-3	Passes Att-Comp-Int	22-10-1
34	Yards Passing	57
4-31	Penalties Yards	1-5
6-31.5	Punts-Average	4-25.B
2-1	Fumbles-Lost	2-1

## October 14, 1977: Glendale 22 at West Branch 9

# Vikes Whip West Branch, 22-9

# Fumbles Aid Glendale

host here last night as the War- a 27-yard field goal. riors coughed up the ball five different times to help Glendale McCartney scooped up a fumble West Branch .... 3 0 6 0- 9 post a 22-9 victory.

The hosts gave up an inter-TD. Peacock booted the extra-ception on the two, fumbled point. twice on the 12 and four of Midway in the third period Glendale and another fumble

MORRISDALE-West Branch board first late in the first quar-jyards to only 93 for the hosts. played the role of a gracious ter when Greg Andrews booted

> into the locker room when Perry and returned it 38 yards for a Glendale ..... 0 7 3 12-22

the Vikings pulled ahead 10-3 was returned for a touchdown. when Peacock connected with a West Branch got on the score- field goal from 23 yards out.

With 19 seconds left to play in the third period, J. R. Trude, who was West Branch's leading rusher with 75 yards, crashed in from the one to pull his teammates within one point, 10-9. The PAT was no good.

Glendale got some breathing room on the first play after the kickoff when Rich Lender broke loose for a 66-yard touchdown scamper. The snap was fumbled on the PAT attempt.

Midway in the fourth period, Mark McCartney recovered a West Branch fumble on the four. Two plays later quarterback Jamie Rydbom scored from the one. A fake PAT kick was stopped short of the goal line.

Lender was the leading individual rusher with 121 yards on 14 carries, while McCartney was next with 105 on 23 carries. The visitors completed only one pass in four attempts for 10 yards in a game that was played in a steady rain. West Branch had 145 yards on seven completions. Glendale dominated the ground attack with 269

The victory gives Glendale a Glendale carried a 7-3 lead are now 4-3.

## Score by Quarters:

## Scoring Sequence:

G-Rydbom 1 run

WB-Andrews 27 FG G-McCartney 38 run fumble G-Peacock 23 FG WB-Trude 1 run G-Lender 66 run

### Glendale West Branch

10-First downs ...... 11 260-Net yards rushing ..... 93 1-4-Passes ......7-12 10-Net yards passing .....145 270-Total net yards ......238 1-Interceptions ..... 1-3-Fumbles lost ..... 5-6 

# October 21, 1977: Glendale 6 at Williamsburg 23

Trail at Halftime, 6-0

# Pirates Chip Away to Defeat Glendale, 23-6

it didn't happen, but Williams-burg High School conjured up a litle bit of lightning last night.

And the Blue Pirates did it three times in 24 minutes to stun Glendale 23-6.

While the Vikings led at the good, but the Vikings took their half, 6-0, the Pirates were off lead into the locker room.

Glendale quarterback Jamie Rydbom lobbed a 9-yard pass to Charles Cusick for the score. The extra point try was no good, but the Vikings took their half, 6-0, the Pirates were off lead into the locker room.

Glendale fans who spent their while the Vikings led at the lead into the locker room.

If, 6-0, the Pirates were off drunning at the start of the red quarter, chipping their way one touchdown and then using pair of big plays to get two had a revolting development on their hands.

The Williamsburgers mounted the conversion play, and with their hands.

The Williamsburgers mounted the conversion play, and with the planning their victory celebration quickly found they showed no signs of buckling.

The Pirates pieced together the conversion play, and with the conversion play an third quarter, chipping their way to one touchdown and then using other scores.

The win gives Williamsburg.
The Williamsburgers mounted the conversion play, and we see that the conversion play, and the conversion play, and we see that the conversion play, and the conversion play are the conversion play and the conversion pla

are now 4-2-2.

The Pirates displayed strength both ways as quarterback Tim Cooper keyed the offense while the defense slowed down Viking threat Mark McCartney, although McCartney still rambled for 80 of the Viking's 123 rushing vards. "They did a good job of containing us." Glendale Coach John Lloyd said with his characteristic composure after the game. "I guess we started thinking when Cooper picked up they were trying to key on McCartney, and we started mixing up our plays."

One of the ingredients for the Pirate williams, a senior, got the touchdown try, but a charging Glendale defense met him at the line of scrimmage and knocked him back an extra yard for good measure.

On third down, with four yards to go for the touchdown. Cooper had again went to Wyland who made this way around the left side for the score.

The Vikings were caught looking when Cooper picked up the ball instead of holding it for would-be kicker Dave Rhule and passed it to Rhule as he raced into the end zone.

Rhule doesn't do any of the Rushing — Glendale Mochania (Rushing — Glendale Again will a senior, got the coull down try. This time, Gary Speacht, recovered a fumble by Glendale's Rydbom.

After a short gain and a 5-yard benefit to Rhule and gain went to Wyland who made the left side for the vikings were caught looking when Cooper picked up the ball instead of holding it for would-be kicker Dave Rhule and gave the ball to Speacht, who raced down Mike Morelli got off a short, high kick which just cleared the uprights to set the final 23-6 to Mochania (Rushing — Glendale (Rushing — Glenda

events sent the packed house a screaming in delight, the Wil-

Staff Writer

WILLIAMSBURG — The National Weather Service will swear it didn't happen but Williamsburg fans were sitting on to move inside the Pirate 20-their hands when Glendale's yard line, but the advance fizzled and the Pirates took over.

Two plays later, Rhule took the interception started the Communication of the Pirate 20-their hands when Glendale's yard line, but the advance fizzled the plays later, Rhule took the plays later, Rhule took

Rick Lender reeled in a Cooper and the Pirales took over.

The interception started the Viking drive at midfield. Seven plays and two first downs later, Glendale quarterback Jamie Rydbom lobbed a 9-yard pass to On the first play, Rydbom's

Carney, and we started up our plays."

One of the ingredients for the second half lightning was the decision to try to run more inside had the feeling they would be able to pull the wool over the bull the vikings.

The Vikings eyes.

Rhule doesn't williamsburg ney 18-30. In Rydbom 3-minus 2: Williamsburg ney 18-30. In Rydbom 3-minus 3

Pirates to sustain their drives. For a while, the Vikings looked While the second half turn of like they were going to come house right back.

They mounted a 14-play drive

core. handoff was knocked into the was no air and Dave Greaser picked it

hile, the Vikings looked Passing — Glendale—Rydbom were going to come 6-13-2-48, Williamsburg — Cooper 1-7-1-12

Receiving -Glendale-Delerme

STATISTICS Williamsburg 125-Yards gained rushing 243 10-Yards lost rushing ... 115-Net yards rushing .... 237 6-13-Passes ..... 1-7 48-Net yards passing .... 12 163-Total net yards ..... 249 2-Interceptions 1-Fumbles lost ..... 3-20-Penalties .....3-15 3-38—Punts .....2-32

2-19, Kauffman 1-41, Cusick 1-8, Henry 2-5; Williamsburg-Peck Score by Quarters: Scoring Sequence: Glendale-Cusick 9 pass from Rydbom (extra point failed) Williamsburg-Wyland 4 run (Rhule pass from Cooper) Williamsburg - Greaser 63yard run on interception (Wya land pass from Cooper)
Williamsburg — Speacht 27-

yard run (extra point good)

# October 28, 1977: Glendale 6 at MoValley 7

# Mo Valley Nabs 7-6 Victory

# Glendale Drops Finale

## By TOM GIBB Staff Writer

half ground game was the key last night for Moshannon Valley to wonder about what went wrong as they overcame a 6-0 Glendale last night, but they probably the margin of difference for the lead and went on to beat the won't be thinking over the first Knights. Vikings 7-6, giving the Vikes a half too hard. closing record of 43-2.

The Mo Valley team keyed on In the first quarter, halfback offense in the second half by Rich Lender broke loose for a kel fumble at midfield. senior fullback Tony Morroni, little Viking lightning, beating a

Glendale, as usual, was lead in their ground game by senior. The conversion attempt fell their ground game by senior through, but the Vikings were Mark McCartney, who rambled back knocking on the door again

yard edge in total yardage last ter. night, 214-162, but the stats up to fending off a Viking drive ground game where Glendale ley's 159.

The margin of difference in vards gained rested on Glendale counterback. Lamie Rydbom's Quarterback Chris Sherkel, a quarterback Jamie Rydbom's junior, engineered the Mo Valley arm. Rydbom completed four of pround game as the Knights his twelve attempts for 54 yards picked up 57 yards in 18 plays while the Knights were able to for the score. ing attempts, and that single and netted the Knights three first completion netted only three downs, yards,

The loss cost the Vikings

Everett Area 48-7 last night to ing off to Morroni, who drove G HOUTZDALE-A strong second better their hold on the top spot, up the middle for the touchdown. Mo. Valley ...... 0

## Glendale Scores First

who picked up 80 net yards. Mor- path up the middle and racing

for 93 of the Vikings' 160 yards, at the start of the second quar-The Vikings actually held a 50-

There, the Knight defense was back on offsetting penalties.

picked up 160 yards to Mo Val-In the third quarter, though, left.

## Knights Score

dropping a game to them last Sherkel engineered two unsuc- to beat.

week. The Pirates ran all over cessful TD attempts before hand-

The Vikings looked ready to mount another attack midway kicky through the third quarter when Perry McCartney fielded a Sher-

Jamie Rydbom geared a 17-yard drive to the Mo Valley 28 yard line before Morroni showed up to pick off a pass and race 30 yards upfield.

Mo Valley was allowed to keep the ball, but the run was called

The Knights never let the ball

## Disappointing Season

optimism coach John Lloyd dis-ney, Perry 1-5, Tiesi 3-2, Gray disappointing loss to Williams-minus 2, Moshannon Valley-Morburg put the damper on what roni 31-113, Dugan 9-32, Richardsix-win season for Coach Lloyd, minus 2.

reputation that has become the 1-5-0-3. ground in the Mountain High and A Sherkel to Morroni handoff trademark of Glendale football Receiving — Glendale-Delerme Inter County conference where brought the Knights inside the over the past few years—it may 2-36, McCartney, Mark 1-10, they trailed Williamsburg after Glendale 10, and from there, be a small school, but it's tough Kauffman 1-8, Moshannon Valley-

Score I	Score By			Quarters			
Slendale		6	0	0	0-		
to Walley		- 10	0	7	100		

## Scoring Sequence

G-Lendar 53 run (Peacock run failed)

MV-Morroni 1 run (Sherkel

nich)	Moshannon
Glendale	Valley
6-First downs	9
174-Yards gained r	ushing . 175
14-Yards lost rush	ing 16
160-Net yards rushi	ng 159
4-12-Passes	1-5
54-Net yards passir	ng 3
214-Total net yards	162
0-Interceptions	2

## Individual Statistics

0-Fumbles lost .....

For the Vikings, the end of the Rushing - Glendale-McCartney, season didn't quite mirror the Mark 20-93, Lender 6-61, McCartplayed in September. Last week's 1-1. Delerme 1-0. Rohrbach 1many believed would turn into a son 3-11, Snyder 1-5, Sherkel 4-

Still, the 1977 Glendale team Passing - Glendale-Rybdom 4-wraps up the season with the 12-2-54, Moshannon Valley-Sherkel

Dugan 1-3.

# **Yards Rushing**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Carries</u>	<u>Yards</u>	<u>TD</u>
Mark McCartney	146	691	7
Rich Lender	53	267	2
Roger Parks	42	184	0
Frank Tiesi	36	46	2
Lightner	6	30	0
Garman	1	6	0
Jose Delerme	9	5	0
Paul McCartney	1	5	0
Jamie Rydbom	13	1	3
Gray	1	1	0
Stan Rohrbach	1	-2	0
Totals	309	1234	14

# **Yards Passing**

<u>Name</u>	Att.	Comp.	<u>TD</u>	<u>Int.</u>	<u>Yards</u>
Jamie Rydbom	29	58	1	5	244
Frank Tiesi	7	17	0	0	102
Parks	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	36	76	1	6	346

# **Yards Receiving**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Catches</u>	<u>Yards</u>	<u>TD</u>
Henry	6	86	0
Jose Delerme	7	76	0
Kaufman	3	59	0
Mark McCartney	8	40	0
Joe Pyzowski	1	32	0
Charlies Cusick	2	24	1
Rich Lender	4	24	0
Gray	2	12	0
Parks	1	3	0
Totals	36	346	1